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In re Application of :
Yung, et al. :
Application No. 09/429,624 : ON PETITION
Filed: October 29, 1999 :
Attorney Docket No. 14616.0015 :
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This is a decision on the petition to revive under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed May 11, 2004.

The petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to timely file a reply to the final Office action mailed October 17, 2002. This Office action set a shortened statutory period for reply of three months. No extensions of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. No reply having been received, the above-identified application became abandoned on January 18, 2003. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on May 21, 2003. Applicants filed a petition to revive under 37 CFR 1.137(a) on February 18, 2004. However, this petition was dismissed in a decision mailed on May 11, 2004.

With the instant petition, applicants paid the petition fee and made the proper statement of unintentional delay. The required reply in the form of a Notice of Appeal was previously filed on February 18, 2004.

The petition fee of \$1,330 has been charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4293, as authorized.

Please be advised that the two month period for filing an appeal brief in triplicate (accompanied by the fee required by 37 CFR 1.17(c)) runs from the date of this decision.

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The application file is being returned to Group Art Unit 2131 to await applicants' submission of the appeal brief.

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